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PATENT

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In re Application of:

STABER et al.

Serial No.: 09/001,565

Filed: December 31, 1997

For: XDSL Splitter Line Module for Network
Interface Device

Art Unit: 2644

Examiner: Harold, J.F.

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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.181, and in response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed October 18, 2005, Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above-identified patent application. The Commissioner contends the application became abandoned for failure to timely pay the issue fee within the statutory period of three (3) months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance. However, Applicants timely submitted the fee transmittal cover sheet including authorization to charge the issue fee to Applicants' deposit account.

This petition is accompanied by the following prima facie evidence:

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- (3) A complete replacement copy of the Issue Fee Transmittal and accompanying Articles of Amendment changing the name of the corporate assignee from Siecor Operations, LLC to Corning Cable Systems LLC.

No fee is required for the petition. In view of the prima facie evidence submitted herewith, Applicants respectfully request the Commissioner to withdraw the Notice of Abandonment and to pass the application to issue forthwith.

If there are any other fees due in connection with this filing not already accounted for, the Commissioner is further authorized to charge those fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2167.

Respectfully submitted,



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09/001,565	12/31/1997	MARLEY I STABER		6784

TITLE OF INVENTION: KDEL SPLITTER LINE MODULE FOR NETWORK INTERFACE DEVICE

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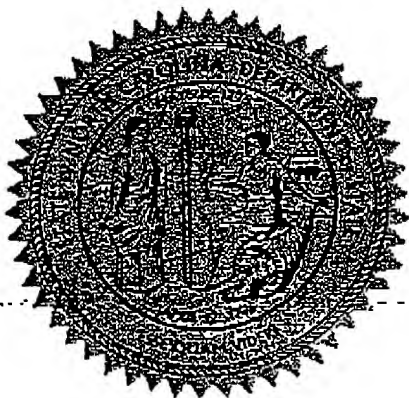
OF

SIECOR OPERATIONS, LLC

which changed its name to:

CORNING CABLE SYSTEMS LLC

the original of which is now on file and a matter of record in this office.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
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Elaine F. Marshall

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AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION**

Pursuant to §57C-2-22 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned limited liability company hereby submits the following Articles of Amendment for the purpose of amending its Articles of Organization.

1. The name of the limited liability company is: **SIECOR OPERATIONS, LLC**
2. The text of the amendment adopted is as follows:

Numbered paragraph 1 of the Articles of Organization is hereby amended to read as follows: The name of the limited liability company is CORNING CABLE SYSTEMS LLC.
3. These articles will be effective June 1, 2000, 12:00:01 A.M., E.S.T.
4. The amendment was duly adopted by the unanimous vote of the members of the limited liability company.

This the 24th day of May, 2000.

SIECOR OPERATIONS, LLC

By: 

K. McNeill Taylor, Jr.
Manager

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